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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
Determining Technical Adequacy of Probabilistic
Risk Assessment for Risk-Informed License Amendment
Requests after Initial Fuel Load
[NRC-2012-0113]

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission

ACTION: NUREG; issuance.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or the Commission) is issuing its final Revision 3 to NUREG-0800, "Standard Review Plan for the Review of Safety Analysis Reports for Nuclear Power Plants: LWR Edition," Section 19.1, "Determining the Technical Adequacy of Probabilistic Risk Assessment for Risk-Informed License Amendment Requests after Initial Fuel Load."

The NRC staff issues revisions to Standard Review Plan (SRP) sections to facilitate timely implementation of the current staff guidance and to facilitate reviews to amendments to licenses for operating reactors or for activities associated with review of applications for early site permits and combined licenses (COL) for the Office of New Reactors (NRO).

DATES: The effective date of this SRP update is **[INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*]**.

ADDRESSES: Please refer to Docket ID **NRC-2012-0113** when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may access information related to this document, which the NRC possesses and are publicly available by any of the following methods:

- **Federal Rulemaking Web Site:** Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID **NRC-2010-0138**. Address questions about NRC dockets to Carol Gallagher; telephone: 301-492-3668; e-mail: Carol.Gallagher@nrc.gov.

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- The NRC posts its issued staff guidance on the NRC's external Web page (<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/nuregs/staff/sr0800/>).

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

On May 22, 2012 (77 FR 30335), the NRC published for public comment the proposed Revision 3 to Section 19.1, "Determining the Technical Adequacy of Probabilistic Risk Assessment for Risk-Informed License Amendment Requests After Initial Fuel Load" (ADAMS

Accession No. ML112990771). There were no comments received on the proposed revision. Hence the guidance is being issued final for use without any changes to the proposed guidance. The NRC staff will also incorporate Revision 3 of SRP Section 19.1 into the next revisions of Regulatory Guide 1.206, "Combined License Applications for Nuclear Power Plants" (ADAMS Accession No. ML070720184).

CONGRESSIONAL REVIEW ACT:

In accordance with the Congressional Review Act, the NRC has determined that this action is not a major rule and has verified this determination with the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs of the Office of Management and Budget.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 14th day of September, 2012.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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